

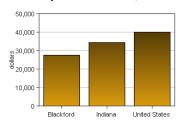
Blackford, Indiana

Blackford is one of 92 counties in Indiana. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2008 population of 13,165 ranked 84th in the state.

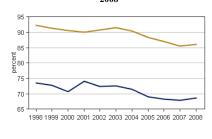
PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2008 Blackford had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$27,570. This PCPI ranked 84th in the state and was 80 percent of the state average, \$34,543, and 69 percent of the national average, \$40,166. The 2008 PCPI reflected an increase of 3.0 percent from 2007. The 2007-2008 state change was 2.5 percent and the national change was 2.0 percent. In 1998 the PCPI of Blackford was \$20,050 and ranked 78th in the state. The 1998-2008 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.2 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

Per Capita Personal Income, 2008



Per Capita Income as a Percent of the United States, 2008





TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

	2007-08 percent change	1998-2008 AAGR			
Blackford	2.4 %	2.5 %			
Indiana	3.2 %	3.9 %			
U.S.	2.9 %	5.0 %			
AAGR: average annual growth rate					

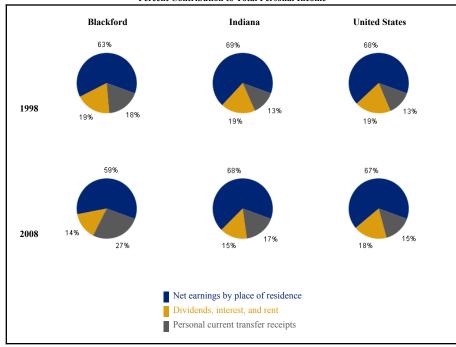
In 2008 Blackford had a total personal income (TPI) of 362,960*. This TPI ranked 85th in the state and accounted for 0.2 percent of the state total. In 1998 the TPI of Blackford was 282,538* and ranked 84th in the state.

*Note: Total personal income estimates are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.

COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Blackford.

Percent Contribution to Total Personal Income



2007-2008 percent change					
	Blackford	Indiana	U.S.		
Net earnings	- 0.7 %	1.9 %	2.0 %		
Dividends, interest, and rent	3.0 %	1.2 %	1.3 %		
Personal current transfer receipts	9.4 %	10.4 %	9.2 %		

1998-2008 average annual growth rate					
	Blackford	Indiana	U.S.		
Net earnings	1.8 %	3.8 %	4.8 %		
Dividends, interest, and rent	- 0.3 %	1.5 %	4.2 %		
Personal current transfer receipts	6.8 %	7.1 %	6.7 %		